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TAZEWELL, VIRGINIA, FRIDAY, JUNE 30, 1916.

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SOLDIERS
RELEASED

Colored Members of Tenth Cavalry Liberated by Mexican Government—Action May At Present Avert War.

El Paso, June 28.—General Jacinto Trevino has ordered that the American prisoners interned in the penitentiary at Chihuahua City be taken to Juarez and there, with their arms and accoutrements, be released. This information was received at the Juarez commandancia tonight.

Mexican authorities asserted that Gen. George Bell, Jr., commanding the El Paso military district, had been notified of General Trevino's order that the prisoners be expected to reach Juarez tomorrow. General Bell did not deny the report, but refused to discuss it.

There are twenty-three American troops held at Chihuahua City, including Lem Spillbury, the Mormon scout.

Army headquarters here said any report on the Mexican advances would have to be made by General Funston at San Antonio.

San Antonio, Tex., June 28.—Gen. Funston received tonight a report from Brigadier General George Bell, Jr., at El Paso, which stated that General Bell had been notified by Mexican consul Garcia that the American prisoners taken at Carrizal now are on the way north by Juarez and probably would arrive tomorrow morning.

PRISONERS WELL TREATED IN MEXICO.

Washington, June 27.—The British consul at Chihuahua City, who is looking after American interests there, reported to the state department today that the American troops captured at Carrizal had been interned in the Chihuahua penitentiary and were being well treated. He gave the number as twenty-three. Two were slightly wounded.

The consul's message which was the first report regarding the prisoners to reach the department from him, also noted the detention of the Mormon interpreter taken with the cavalrymen. The report follows:

"There are twenty-one privates and two sergeants of Tenth Cavalry and one white interpreter interned in penitentiary. Two are slightly wounded, one through the shoulder and the other has a flesh wound in the knee. Both recovering and receiving medical attention. They are sufficiently well to well to have ample room for exercise. Am assured that there is no danger for their lives."

IN ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.

Graham Daily News.

Prof. Peter U. Janutolo has accepted the position of assistant chemist in the agricultural experiment station for the Argentine republic, and he will sail on July 29 for Tuzum, Argentina, where he will be located. Mr. Janutolo obtained the position through a V. P. I. man, Professor Rosenfeld, chief chemist at Tuzum, who knew Mr. Janutolo at V. P. I. Mr. Rosenfeld's home is at Radford. Tuzum is located seven hundred and fifty miles from Buenos Aires. All of Mr. Janutolo's traveling expenses are paid by the Argentine government and a handsome state-room has been provided for him on the steamer on which he will sail.

Mr. Janutolo, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Janutolo, of Graham, is a graduate of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute at Blacksburg. For the past two years he has held the position of instructor in chemistry at V. P. I. Last year he was manager of the V. P. I. band and he has always been popular among his fellow students as well as among the faculty. The young man stood very high at college and his promotion will come as good news to his many friends.

Recently Professor Janutolo was offered a position at a high salary by the Atlas Powder Company, as chief chemist in the training department, but he declined the offer, deciding to accept service with the Argentine public, and will leave Graham the latter part of next month to assume his new duties.

TAZEWELL CIRCUIT—APPOINTMENTS FOR JULY.

Glenwood—First Saturday and Sunday, two-day meeting. Church conference on Saturday; communion Sunday morning.

Cove—First Sunday, 3:30 p. m. Concord—Second Saturday evening, 8:30, and Sunday at 3:30.

Mt. Olivet—Second Sunday, 11 a. m.

Burke's Garden—Third Saturday and Sunday, Quarterly meeting at Central.

Glade—Third Sunday, 3:30 p. m. Pleasant Hill—Fourth Saturday and Sunday—two-day meeting. Church conference on Saturday.

White Church—Fourth Sunday, 3:30 p. m.

Liberty—Fifth Saturday and Sunday—two-day meeting. Church conference on Saturday; communion on Sunday.

Brothers, it is just three months until Conference, and much remains to be done. Glenwood, Glade, and Liberty are almost out. I wish that I might report every place out by the Quarterly Meeting. Why wait until the close of the year to turn over to the Lord that which rightly belongs to Him? If a number of men, who are able to do so, would write their checks for \$20, \$15, \$10, and \$5, and mail them to me, as one man has already done, I would soon have the Benevolences, and everybody would be happy.

Please read Malachi, third chapter, 8th, 9th, and 10th, verses. Do it now. W. C. Thompson.

June 26, 1916.

POUNDING MILL NOTES.

Pounding Mill, June 28.—R. F. Gillespie and sisters, Misses Jessie and Ollie Kate, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends in the Cove.

John B. Gillespie, after two weeks work in West Virginia and Kentucky, returned home Sunday. He spent Saturday night with parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gillespie at Witten's Mills.

Miss Gussie Christian has as her guest Miss Yost, of Tazewell.

Mrs. R. L. Ellis and daughter, Miss Maggie, of Whitewood, are visiting relatives and friends here, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Martha Sapp.

The Crochet club, which spent a most enjoyable afternoon last Thursday with Mrs. Julia Williams, will meet with Mrs. Julia Mulkey tomorrow.

The meeting was originally intended to be held at the home of Miss Rebekah Davis, who will entertain the club later. The club will disband for the summer on account of the coming season, hot weather, etc.

Rev. Henry T. Foster, of Coeburn, will preach at the Church of God here next Sunday night, and at Cedar Bluff Friday and Saturday nights and at Maxwell Sunday at 11 a. m. Every one is cordially invited to attend the services.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. W. B. Steele on next Monday at 3:30. All members are urged to be present.

Miss Mabel Bourne returned to Bondtown Monday after a couple of weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. R. K. Gillespie spent a day and night at Tazewell this week visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary O'Keefe.

The following persons from here attended the dance at Cedar Bluff Inn Friday night: H. G. and R. F. Gillespie, R. Coleman, Dr. Zimmerman, George Hurt, J. H. Williamson, Misses Mary B. Gillespie, Margaret and Lois Hurt.

Mrs. W. B. Steele spent Sunday and Monday with her mother, Mrs. June A. McGuire at Cedar Bluff, and attended church at the McGuire hall, recently rented from the Cedar Bluff Woolen Company.

Mrs. Cora Shamblin spent Sunday and Monday visiting her son, G. C. at Cedar Bluff.

Forty-one dollars was taken in at the ice cream supper at the Christian church Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Gillespie, Miss Mabel Bourne, Dr. Rex Steele, Dora Newman and Mrs. Julia Spraks motored to Cedar Bluff Sunday afternoon and had refreshments with James McGuire and C. F. Fields restaurant.

Miss Barbara Hurt is back from Bethany, W. Va., where she has been attending school.

TOM THUMB WEDDING.

Will Take Place at 8 O'Clock Tonight in the High School Chapel.

The Tom Thumb wedding, to be staged in the High School chapel tonight is attracting deserved attention from the people of the town, and it is believed the hall will be well filled at 8 o'clock, when the performance will begin. It is the desire of the management of the affair that those who attend be there promptly at 8 o'clock.

Just before the wedding, Miss Margaret Hugill will sing two selections. Here's the cast: Bride, Margaret Copenhaver; Groom, R. S. Bowen, Jr.; best man, Joe Lloyd Caudill; maid of honor, Janie Royall; preacher, John Gillespie. The wedding party will consist of mother, father, grand-parents, cousins, rejected lover, old maid aunt, and numerous guests, who will be ushered to their places by Master John G. O'Keefe, Jr., and Master Fred Quincey. All the participants are under twelve years of age.

Everybody invited. Come out, everybody, and enjoy the performance of one hundred children of your own town. Beautiful singing.

COFER-GILDERSLEEVE.

A wedding of interest to many friends throughout Southwest Virginia, was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert S. Gildersleeve at Gratton, Virginia, when their daughter, Miss Laura Joanna, became the bride of Mr. Richard Clyde Cofer.

The Rev. W. C. Thompson, the bride's pastor, officiated, using the impressive ring ceremony.

The bride is a splendid teacher, a devoted Christian and her attractive personality has won for her many friends who are interested in her future happiness.

The groom is a civil engineer and has a splendid position at Pocahontas, and is a Christian young man and very popular.

Mr. and Mrs. Cofer left on a honeymoon trip for Washington City and other points east.

HER "GIRLHOOD HOME."

Johnson City, Tenn., June 28. "Mr. Leslie: Enclosed you will find check for your paper, which I enjoy, as Tazewell county was my girlhood home."

SALLY SHELLEY THOMAS. The above received in this office a few days ago, is of interest to a number of Tazewell people. Mrs. Thomas was, before marriage, Miss Sallie Vail, aunt to Miss Pearl Vail, a teacher in the High School here, also sister to Mrs. J. A. Greever's mother, Mrs. Leticia Moss. Mrs. Janette Vail, of Chicago, who has recently visited her niece, Mrs. J. A. Greever here, is sister-in-law to Mrs. Thomas, having married her brother, James Vail. Mrs. Thomas' mother was sister to the late Col. Joseph Harrison. And, so, the old paper has to "keep up the connection."

CHILDREN'S DAY IN THE COVE.

The Sunday school in the Cove will hold Children's Day services on the second Sunday in July. There will be an ice cream supper on Saturday evening preceding. The Editor of the News appreciates an invitation to be present. A good time may be expected by all who attend.

LEG BROKEN.

Charles Poe, of Sayersville, while returning to his home from the burial of W. P. Payne at Sandy last Friday had his leg broken by being thrown from his horse. The horse reared and fell backwards.

RED TAG SALE—JULY 5-15

Don't Fail to be Ready

For the
RED TAG SALE
We will have in this Sale for the first showing a beautiful line of**Palm Beach and Sport Suits, Silver Bloom and Awning Stripes Skirts**

As well as a great many novelties in Ladies' Ready-to-wear Garments.

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VIRGINIA MILITIAMEN IN CAMP IN RICHMOND

Companies From Different Parts of State Ready for Service—Big Demonstration When Boys Leave Bristol.

Richmond, June 27.—State militiamen, from Accomac to Lee, answered the call of Adjutant-General Sale today, and tonight 2,461 enlisted men and more than fifty officers blew out their candles and shuffled in the darkness to their cots when taps sounded in Camp Henry Carter Stuart at 8:30 o'clock.

Special trains began arriving at an early hour this morning and all through the day infantry and artillery wended their way from the various depots to the Virginia State Fair grounds, where the camp is located. Officers and men slept tonight with their fire arms near them. Nearly stood the commissary wagon train ready to move to freight cars standing idly in the yards of the Richmond, Fredericksburg, and Potomac railroad a short distance away. Everything is in readiness for the final call. Two regiments of Virginia volunteers, the signal corps and the hospital corps are ready. The call may come on the morning, it may be delayed a day or a week, but when it comes the response will be prompt.

ALL BRISTOL TELLS SOLDIERS GOODBYE.

Bristol, Va., June 27.—Never before in Bristol's history has there been such a demonstration of patriotic expression as that which today characterized the departure of the soldier boys of the Cox Light Infantry, Company H, State militia. Hundreds of men, women and children filled the streets in front of the armory and along the route of march to the union station. Mingled tears and patriotic yells featured in the throng. Mothers and sisters, sweethearts and wives could not keep back the tears.

The special train bearing the soldier boys pulled out from the union station at 10:30 o'clock, Eastern time, following an enthusiastic demonstration at the station, when goodbye talks were made by Mayor J. H. Fawcette, Mayor George M. Warren, and others. The postoffice, the banks, and many of the business houses were closed for an hour in honor of the departure of the soldier boys, and when the train pulled out, such a patriotic demonstration as took place amid the patriotic yells of the young people, was never seen before.

WRECK IN COAL FIELDS.

A wreck occurred at the mouth of the big tunnel at Coalfield yesterday, in which five cars were wrecked. The cause of the wreck could not be learned yesterday. Owing to the wreck and consequent blocking of the track, at Coalfield, passenger trains Nos. 4 east, and 15 west, were sent over the Clinch Valley division, by way of the Cedar Bluff short line, passing Tazewell yesterday morning on regular schedule time.

ICE CREAM SUPPER.

There will be an ice cream supper at the school house near James Ed. Peery's June 30th, beginning at 7:30. Let everybody come.

MARY E. BOWLING.

Services in the Lutheran church at eleven o'clock, Second Sunday after Trinity. Sunday school meets at ten o'clock. Sermon subject: "The Kingdom of Heaven for Sinners." The sermon will be brief and practical. You are cordially invited to worship with us.

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BIG TIMES IN BLUEFIELD.

Bluefield, June 29.—This city is expected to entertain large crowds during the next few days, while the Spring Fair and Race Meet of the Bluefield Fair Association is in progress. The fair opens Saturday and will continue through Monday and Tuesday. On the Fourth there is every indication that the largest number of people that have ever been in the fair grounds will see the attractions staged that day. Four harness races, a running race, and several local races will feature the Independence Day program. Graham, and the Dupont team from Nemours will stage a baseball game, while in the way of shows Colonel Tomkins' Wild West and Cooper and Whitely's European Circus, combined, will occupy the midway.

Besides the baseball games, which will be staged each day, the riding tournament to be held on the Fourth promises to be an affair of more than ordinary interest. The motorcycle races will also have a lively bunch of contestants speeding around the track. There will be a number of horse show classes to fill, and the lovers of fine stock and excellent horsemanship will find plenty to entertain them.

SHAWVERS MILLS NEWS.

Shawvers Mills, June 28.—Mrs. John Cosby, of Lynchburg, spent the past week with parents here, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pruett.

Mrs. E. V. Hicks and daughter, Miss Ara, are spending a few days with relatives in Maryland.

Mrs. J. W. Shuffelbarger and son, Willie, spent last week at Hicksville. Miss Ada Leffel and Miss Nannie Leffel are spending the week on Bluestone.

Miss Hallie Leffel spent the week-end with parents, returning to her work at Bluefield Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Walker Slade, of Bluestone, spent last week at this place.

The Union Mission Circle met Sunday afternoon, and a very successful meeting was held.

Miss Nancy Shuffelbarger spent Sunday at her future home at Gratton.

An ice cream supper is to be given by the ladies of the Rebekah Lodge July 8th, at 4 p. m. Everybody is invited to the late Mrs. Judge James Kelly, who was married to Judge Kelly while a teacher of art in this town years ago. Miss Ada Koepf visited here during her sister's stay, and became acquainted with a number of Tazewell people, all of whom remember her most kindly. Her husband, Mr. Horner, is the owner and operator of a large milling and coal business in Germantown, and a number of affairs. Mrs. Kelly, her sister, died some years ago. While here Mr. and Mrs. Horner called on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Preston.

"LAST CALL FOR DINNER."

Please examine the date on the label on your paper. We are forced to cut the list of subscribers whose subscription is not paid. A shipment of paper received on Tuesday of this week cost \$5.00 per 100 lbs. instead of \$2.50 last fall, and other things according. Newspapers are up against it, and are forced to cut cost of production. A bill of lumpy metal bought last week cost \$13.00 per 100 lbs. as against \$7.50 last year. Now, if ever, the friends of the newspaper should "stand by," and help bridge over the crisis. After the war's end there will be a change for the better.

DICKERSON-THOMPSON.

Mr. S. D. Dickerson, of Bluefield, W. Va., and Miss Mada Thompson, were married Saturday, June 24th, at 5 p. m., at the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Thompson, parents of the bride, by Rev. T. H. Campbell. Relatives and friends of the bride and groom were present at the marriage. The couple left Saturday night via Bluefield for Louisville, Ky., and other western cities.

GILLESPIE-GUERANT.

William M. Gillespie, son of the late A. P. and Mrs. Gillespie, and Miss May Guerrant, were married at the home of the bride in Kentucky Wednesday afternoon at 4 p. m. On account of the recent death of a relative of Miss Guerrant, the wedding festivities were very informal. Mr. Peery, of this town, and George C. Peery, of this town, were present at the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie left soon after the wedding for an extensive wedding tour, which will take them to Los Angeles, Cal. They are not expected to return to their home here before the first of October.

NOTICE.

W. S. Moore, representing D. B. Ryland & Co., will be at the Jefferson Hotel June 29 and 30, with his usual line of jewelry diamonds, silverware, etc., and will appreciate a call at any time.

\$20 IN GOLD FREE.

We are going to give away \$20.00 in gold to purchasers of our flour. Watch for an announcement ext week. In the meantime we are selling flour at \$5.50, in cotton or wood; best chop \$1.65; corn meal, \$1.00; oats, 60c.

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MANY SUNDAY SCHOOLS FAILED TO MAKE REPORT

Records of Annual State Meeting Will Not Show Work Done by Local Organizations Who Are Delinquent.

A number of Sunday schools in this county, members of the County Sunday School Association, failed to make a report at the annual meeting on the 21st. Some of them "forgot it," others neglected it, and still others were indifferent, and let it go by. The names of these delinquents should be published, as the State publishes a delinquent tax list. It might do good. The Secretary has no report from Graham, Cedar Bluff, Horsepen, Tip Top, Witten's Mills, Springville, Maxwell, one from Pound, and perhaps others. These schools failed to make any report whatever. What they are doing, if anything, is known only to themselves. The former Secretary, Mr. J. A. Leslie, will not show up well on the books, with at least half of the schools in the county making no report. Blanks were sent out to all these schools, or nearly all, but the time, stationery and postage seems to have been wasted.

A larger number of people in the county are interested in Sunday school work than ever before, and the number is increasing yearly. There are many, however, who are giving only a half-hearted service, and some no service at all, and never will.

If your school has not been reported, and you wish to be numbered among the progressive, wide-awake people, send for a blank to Mr. F. H. Forbes, the new Secretary, at North Tazewell, or to J. A. Leslie, Tazewell.

BURKE'S GARDEN.

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Rev. Will Maxwell and family, of Kentucky, have been the guests for several days of Mrs. H. P. Eagle.

Quite a number of the young people from here motored to Maiden Spring yesterday afternoon to a picnic. A fine time is reported.

Miss Louise Camper, of Nace, Va., is the guest of Miss Lettie Rhudy.

FINE BLUEGRASS FARM FOR SALE—300 ACRES.

5 miles west of Tazewell, on main macadam road, leading west from Tazewell.

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100 to 125 acres fine farming land; 60 to 80 acres bottom and level, balance fine bluegrass land. Well watered by fine springs. For price, etc., call on or address

H. S. SURFACE, Tazewell, Va. 6-2-tf.

STRAY HEIFER. White heifer came to my home about April 1st. Owner can have possession of same by paying for her keep and this ad.

GEORGE J. LAMBERT, Cedar Bluff, Va. June 24, 1916.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. A. G. Kiser and Mr. John C. St. Clair have gotten tired "eating" other people's dust, and have each bought a Hupmobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemon, of Knoxville, have been the guests of Mrs. Lemon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Crockett, at Witten's Mills. They were guests in this town to dinner Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Crockett.

Dr. J. R. Hicks, of Shawvers Mills, was here Wednesday with a Ford car full of raspberries raised on his farm.

An account of the marriage of Mr. Ormon W. Bailey to Miss Maggie Brewster will be found in the Cedar Bluff correspondence on the inside of the paper.

Mr. M. T. Rose, who lives in the Cove with his son, C. H. Rose, was here yesterday, and rested for some time in the News office. He is as lively as a cricket except for the "rheumatism," which yanks him around considerably.

Miss Della Leffel, of Shawvers Mills, chaperoned a party of young folks from her community last Saturday to town on a visit. The party included Cleon, Bannie, Maggie Rose, Jim, George and Wade Stowers, children of J. W. Stowers; Miss Gladys Shawver, and Craig and W. P. Leffel.

D. P. Hurley, Jr., has just returned from an extended trip through the coal fields in the interest of Martha Washington college. Any young ladies wishing a college course should write him at Tazewell. He will leave Monday for a trip down the Clinch.

Mr. J. L. Montague, county agricultural agent and secretary of the Tazewell Fair Association, has "joined the colors." He left Tazewell last week and enlisted in the State militia at Big Stone Gap, and, presumably, has gone to the concentration camp in Richmond. As a result of his sudden departure, the affairs of the Tazewell Fair Association, and the demonstration work in the county are left in a chaotic condition.

The town council has granted permission for the erection of another gasoline tank on Main street. The tank will be placed in front of the store of M. J. Hankins, and will be used exclusively for the products of the Standard Oil Company. It has been reported here that the Rockefeller corporation expects to sell gasoline much lower than the price that prevails here now.

Please examine the date on the label of this copy of your paper. We owe you kindly send your subscription. We may have to mail you a bill, but should not be forced to do so. If we should you will do us the favor to remit promptly. Don't forget your country papers' needs just now.—Ed.

Our jolly old friend, C. H. Greever, Burke's Garden, somewhat grizzled and grey, after staying "about the house" for a year, burstled into town a few days ago, and looked around. He is one of the successful farmers of his section, and a mighty good friend of this paper. He looks yet young, and better still—feels young. A man is as old as he feels, they say.

WANTED—AT ONCE—A first class Jersey or 3-4 Jersey cow. Must be a first class cow in every respect, and not over 5 years old. Address Mrs. A. J. Tynes, or phone No. 91-B.

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TAZEWELL TROOPERS

The Town Well Represented in Army Now Defending Our Flag Under Pershing on Mexican Border.

There are at least four men in the Tenth Regiment on the border from this town. There may be others. The names of the men from Tazewell are: Desmond Taylor, son of Rissy Taylor; Ben Caudill; Glen Hedrick, son of Oscar Hedrick; and Elmer Bundy, son of Dave Bundy. Two of these men, Hedrick and Bundy, are infantrymen, the other two in the cavalry. So far as can be learned nothing has been heard from these men for some time. Two of them